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SUBJ: MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT DAOUD

REF: A) KABUL 1292; B) STATE 46583 C) KABUL 1367;

D) ISLAMABAD 1829

1. AFTER DEPARTMENT'S REVIEW OF PRIMIN BHUTTO'S REPLY TO SECRETARY'S MESSAGE (REF D), WE SUGGEST THERE MIGHT BE UTILITY IN DEPARTMENT INSTRUCTING AMBASSADOR TO SEE PRESIDENT DAOUD TO REVIEW AF/PAK RELATIONS PRIOR TO LATTER'S DEPARTURE FOR INDIA MARCH 10, NOT RPT NOT MARCH 13 AS REFPORTED REF A.

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2. IF THERE IS ANY POSSIBILITY FOR IMMINENT RESUMPTION OF
AF/PAK DIALOGUE, MY IMPRESSION FROM NAIM'S PRESENTATION
(REF C) IS THAT ANY GIVE IN AFGHAN POSITION WILL HAVE TO
COME FROM PRESIDENT DAOUD HIMSELF.

3. ON OTHER HAND, TWO SIDES SEEM RATHER FAR APART AND WE
WOULD BE APPRECIATIVE DEPARTMENT'S PERSPECTIVE AS TO THE
USEFULNESS OF U.S. DEMARCHE HERE THIS WEEK.

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